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And you, generous defenders, who ſhall have cemented that peace with your blood you will ſoon return to the boſom of your families among your fellow-citizens, to enjoy your glory—terrible ſtill, in your repoſe, to all the enemies of that Republic.

LE TOURNEUR, Preſident.

ORIGIN OF THE UNIVERSITY OF LEYDEN.

From Dr. Smith's Tour on the Continent.

I CANNOT take leave of Leyden without mentioning that glorious period of its hiſtory, the ever memorable ſiege it ſuſtained when Holland was about to ſhake off the Spaniſh yoke; an event upon which its inhabitants ſtill dwell with pleaſure, and in relating the particulars of which I have ſeveral times ſeen the glow of a generous enthuſiaſm illuminate the moſt inanimate countenance. It is ſcarcely neceſſary to enter into the detail of an event which ſo many hiſtorians have delighted to relate. The people having been reduced to eat the leaves of trees, as well as horſes, dogs, leather, and every other animal ſubſtance within their reach, a peſtilence carried off more than half the inhabitants. In this dreadful exigency the beſiegers calling on the townſmen to ſurrender, the latter appeared on the walls, and declared they would each of them firſt cut off his left arm for proviſion, and fight with his right. The Governor wrote to the Prince of Orange that without help from him or from Heaven they could not reſiſt two days longer. At this criſis, providentially ſurely the wind changed, and blew in ſuch a direction that the Spaniſh army, fearing a flood, made a precipitate retreat. They were no ſooner gone than the wind returned to the ſame point as before, the waters retired, and there was an eaſy acceſs to the town for the people with proviſions, who flocked in on every ſide. The churches were crowded with famiſhed wretches, who, juſt ſaved from the jaws of death, one moment greedily devoured the welcome food, and another with ſobs and inarticulate exclamations, returned Heaven thanks for their deliverance; inſomuch that no regular ſervice could be performed. And here a new diſtreſs occurred. Many of the poor creatures, too eager in gratifying their craving appetites, fell down dead on the ſpot; ſo that the Magiſtrates were obliged for ſome time to regulate the quantity of food for each perſon.

The day after this ſignal deliverance, the Prince of Orange went to Leyden to expreſs his admiration of the inhabitants' behaviour. What an interview muſt that have been. He gave them their option, whether to be for a time exempt from certain taxes, or to have an univerſity founded in their town. They wiſely choſe the latter and have derived much profit from it. Such is the origin of the Univerſity of Leyden. May it long continue the ſeat of freedom, and the nurſery of every ſentiment in it favourable to the intereſts of humanity!

LONDON, April 25.

SINGULAR CASE OF MURDER.

A French officer, on the 31 inſt. going in a veſſel from the Hague to Rotterdam contracted an acquaintance with one of the paſſengers, a dealer in watches, who was going from the latter city to Brabant. The watchmaker was ſo well pleaſed with the patriotic effuſions of his companion in the courſe of their paſſage, that when the veſſel arrived at its place of deſtination, both reſolved to halt at the ſame inn, which is called the Kiene Schippere Herberg. They ſupped together, and afterwards amuſed themſelves at cards till one in the morning, when they agreed to ſleep in one room, and at length in one bed. Unfortunately, however, the tradeſman had either by accident or careleſſneſs, exhibited to his new acquaintance a purſe richly ſtowed with ducats. The officer waiting till ſleep had cloſed the unſuſpicious traveller's eyes, ſtopped his mouth with a handkerchief and almoſt inſtantly plunged a ſword into his breaſt.—The inſtrument miſſing the unfortunate man's heart, he awoke, and ſtruggled violently, but was not able to give any alarm. The officer chagrined at the diſappointment continued to hack the miſerable victim till his inteſtines dropped out, till no ſigns of life appeared, when he dragged the body to a trunk, which belonged to the murdered perſon, in order thus to conceal the main evidence of this dreadful deed, and by cutting the joints of the thighs and arms, which were brought by that means to reſt on the body, he at length ſucceeded; and again locked the trunk. Being unable, however, to wipe up all the blood which deluged the bed and the chamber, he ſtabbed himſelf in a part where no danger could reſult, and returned in tranquility to his pillow, where he ſlept ſo late in the morning, that the chamber maid conceived it her duty to inform the gentlemen of the late hour; but obtaining no anſwer ſhe peeped through the key hole; and ſeeing the floor covered with blood, gave an inſtant alarm. The police officers attended, broke open the door, and after a narrow ſearch, diſcovered the horrible contents of the trunk. The Frenchman alledged, that what had happened was merely in his own defence, and ſhewed his wound as a demonſtration of the intention of the deceaſed! He is, however, cloſely confined, but the friends of humanity ſuſpect that the monſter will eſcape his merited puniſhment. The mangled body was taken to the ſurgeon's hall at Rotterdam, and expoſed to the public inſpection for ſeveral days, in order to diſcover the unfortunate tradeſman's name and family.

Died lately, at his houſe in Pimlico, Mr. YATES, Comedian, aged 84 years. He was formerly of Covent Garden and Drury Lane Theatres.

He is reported to have left property to the amount of 35,000l. in different legacies. Of his property 30,000l. was got in the management of the Opera. Another third of this property came from rigid economy, and extreme meanneſs. On his wife's night he uſed to attend in the gallery to pack it; entreating the people to ſit cloſer.

Our fair countrywomen, as the ſeaſon opens, approach nearer to a ſtate of nature. It is now the faſhion to feſtoon the petticoats, mid leg, and uncover one breaſt almoſt entirely, after the antique! That is to ſay, agreeable to the example of mother Eve!

Port wine before the war might be had for 40l. a pipe; it is now 80l.

Mr. BARBER,

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I CANNOT take leave of Leyden without mentioning that glorious period of its hiſtory, the ever memorable ſiege it ſuſtained when Holland was about to ſhake off the Spaniſh yoke; an event upon which its inhabitants ſtill dwell with pleaſure, and in relating the particulars of which I have ſeveral times ſeen the glow of a generous enthuſiaſm illuminate the moſt inanimate countenance. It is ſcarcely neceſſary to enter into the detail of an event which ſo many hiſtorians have delighted to relate. The people having been reduced to eat the leaves of trees, as well as horſes, dogs, leather, and every other animal ſubſtance within their reach, a peſtilence carried off more than half the inhabitants. In this dreadful exigency the beſiegers calling on the townſmen to ſurrender, the latter appeared on the walls, and declared they would each of them firſt cut off his left arm for proviſion, and fight with his right. The Governor wrote to the Prince of Orange that without help from him or from Heaven they could not reſiſt two days longer. At this criſis, providentially ſurely the wind changed, and blew in ſuch a direction that the Spaniſh army, fearing a flood, made a precipitate retreat. They were no ſooner gone than the wind returned to the ſame point as before, the waters retired, and there was an eaſy acceſs to the town for the people with proviſions, who flocked in on every ſide. The churches were crowded with famiſhed wretches, who, juſt ſaved from the jaws of death, one moment greedily devoured the welcome food, and another with ſobs and inarticulate exclamations, returned Heaven thanks for their deliverance; inſomuch that no regular ſervice could be performed. And here a new diſtreſs occurred. Many of the poor creatures, too eager in gratifying their craving appetites, fell down dead on the ſpot; ſo that the Magiſtrates were obliged for ſome time to regulate the quantity of food for each perſon.

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A French officer, on the 31 inſt. going in a veſſel from the Hague to Rotterdam contracted an acquaintance with one of the paſſengers, a dealer in watches, who was going from the latter city to Brabant. The watchmaker was ſo well pleaſed with the patriotic effuſions of his companion in the courſe of their paſſage, that when the veſſel arrived at its place of deſtination, both reſolved to halt at the ſame inn, which is called the Klene Schippere Herberg. They ſupped together, and afterwards amuſed themſelves at cards till one in the morning, when they agreed to ſleep in one room, and at length in one bed. Unfortunately, however, the tradeſman, had either by accident or careleſſneſs, exhibited to his new acquaintance a purſe richly ſtowed with ducats. The officer waiting till ſleep had cloſed the unſuſpicious traveller's eyes, ſtopped his mouth with a handkerchief and almoſt inſtantly plunged a ſword into his breaſt.—The inſtrument miſſing the unfortunate man's heart, he awoke, and ſtruggled violently, but was not able to give any alarm. The officer chagrined at the diſappointment continued to hack the miſerable victim till his inteſtines dropped out, till no ſigns of life appeared, when he dragged the body to a trunk, which belonged to the murdered perſon, in order thus to conceal the main evidence of this dreadful deed, and by cutting the joints of the thighs and arms, which were brought by that means to reſt on the body, he at length ſucceeded; and again locked the trunk. Being unable, however, to wipe up all the blood which deluged the bed and the chamber, he ſtabbed himſelf in a part where no danger could reſult, and returned in tranquility to his pillow, where he ſlept ſo late in the morning, that the chamber-maid conceived it her duty to inform the gentlemen of the late hour; but obtaining no anſwer ſhe peeped through the key hole; and ſeeing the floor covered with blood, gave an inſtant alarm. The police officers attended, broke open the door, and after a narrow ſearch, diſcovered the horrible contents of the trunk. The Frenchman alledged, that what had happened was merely in his own defence, and ſhewed his wound as a demonſtration of the intention of the deceaſed! He is, however, cloſely confined, but the friends of humanity ſuſpect that the monſter will eſcape his merited puniſhment. The mangled body was taken to the ſurgeon's hall at Rotterdam, and expoſed to the public inſpection for ſeveral days, in order to diſcover the unfortunate tradeſman's name and family.

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May 9.

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Silas Talbot, of New York, and John Trumbull, of Connecticut, are appointed Agents for the Protection of American Seamen.

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From Kingſton we learn that a moſt mortal Sickneſs rages in the Iſland of Jamaica.

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CUSTOM-HOUSE,

Diſtrict of Newport, July 5.

ENTERED,	*from*
Schooner Hibernia, Sheffield,	Philadelphia
Sloop Aurora, Brown,	New York
—— Friendſhip, Peterſon,	Ditto
—— Three Friends, Addiſon,	Ditto
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CLEARED,	*for*
Ship Franklin Allen,	New York
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TO BE SOLD,

A FARM, at Portſmouth, on this Iſland, very pleaſantly ſituated, 4½ Miles from Newport, containing 70 Acres, with a large Dwelling Houſe, Barn, Crib, and Two good Orchards thereon, and is well watered, and fenced, principally with Stone-Wall.——Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe, may be further informed, by applying to the Subſcriber, who can give an indubitable Title to the ſame,

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MARTIN (*the Cooper*) *Guardian, in love with Lucinda,* } Mr. VAL,

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Laſt Saturday arrived here Mr. OLIVER C. BEER, a Native of this Town, who ſailed from Boſton in November 1791, with Capt. Roberts, for the North Weſt Coaſt of this Continent.—On whoſe arrival there, he built a ſmall Schooner for the better Accommodation of Trade, and deſpatched her accordingly with a Crew of ten Men and Boys; of which unfortunate Number Mr. Beer was One. But in June 1793, at Queen Charlotte's Iſland, ſhe was boarded by the Natives, under the Pretence of trading, and all her Crew barbarouſly maſſacred, except Mr. Beer, who miraculouſly eſcaped that Fate, and was held by them in Slavery for thirteen Months; when he was procured and relieved from it, by Capt. John Perry Caſwell, of the Ship Deſpatch, of Boſton, and Captain John Barnard, of the Brigantine Mercury, of Providence.—We hear he intends publiſhing a Narrative of his Adventures.

Silas Talbot, of New York, and John Trumbull, of Connecticut, are appointed Agents for the Protection of American Seamen.

Capt. Winpenny, of the Brig Panther, arrived at New-York from Madeira, ſpoke on the 18th June, Lat. 20, 54, a Schooner from Rhode Iſland to St. Bartholomews, out 17 Days. June 18, ſpoke a Sloop from Rhode-Iſland to Jamaica, out 24 Days, Lat. 27, 09.

From Kingſton we learn that a moſt mortal Sickneſs rages in the Iſland of Jamaica.

The Priſoners who were confined on the Charge of robbing Nantucket Bank have made their Eſcape from the Jail of that County. Their Names are James Witherly, or Withers, alias William Sandford, and John Clark, jun. 2100 Dollars Reward is offered for ſecuring them.

DIED] —At Philadelphia, the celebrated Philoſopher, Dr. DAVID RITTENHOUSE.

—" At Little-Compton, on the 1ſt Inſt. after a ſhort Illneſs, Mrs. HANNAH GRAY, Relict of Samuel Gray, deceaſed, aged 94 Years.—While Living, ſhe was an Ornament to human Life. Having had a regular Standing in the Congregational Church at Little-Compton upwards of Seventy Years, at laſt being called for, by her Lord and Maſter, to give an Account of her Stewardſhip, Charity prompts us to believe ſhe fell aſleep in Jeſus, and will render her Account with Joy.—She left a numerous Poſterity, 185 in Number, including Children, Grand Children, and Great Grand Children."

CUSTOM-HOUSE,

Diſtrict of Newport, July 5.

ENTERED,	*from*
Schooner Hibernia, Sheffield,	Philadelphia
Sloop Aurora, Brown,	New York
—— Friendſhip, Peterſon,	Ditto
—— Three Friends, Addiſon,	Ditto
—— Leopard, Farnum,	Providence
—— Defiance, Gilbert,	Nixonton
CLEARED,	*For*
Ship Franklin Allen,	New York
Sloop Hannah, Finch,	Trinidada
Brig Rambler, Eaſterbrooks,	New Providence
Schooner Polly, Hayden,	New York
—— Sally, Henderſon,	Norfolk
—— Induſtry, Chaſe,	St. Bartholomews
Sloop Friendſhip, Gibbs,	Edenton

TO BE SOLD,

A FARM, at Portſmouth, on this Iſland, very pleaſantly ſituated, 4½ Miles from Newport, containing 70 Acres, with a large Dwelling-Houſe, Barn, Crib, and Two good Orchards thereon, and is well watered, and fenced, principally with Stone-Wall.——Any Perſon inclining to purchaſe, may be further informed, by applying to the Subſcriber, who can give an indubitable Title to the ſame,

J. BOURS.

Newport, July 5, 1796.

TO BE SOLD,

THAT well-known Eſtate, the TAMMANY HILL FARM, late belonging to GODFREY MALBONE, Eſq; deceaſed, ſituated in Newport, Rhode-Iſland—conſiſting of about Seven Hundred Acres of choice arable and paſture Land, within a Mile of the central Part of the Town of Newport.——This Eſtate is advantageouſly ſituated—plentifully watered—commands an extenſive Proſpect of the Town, Ocean, Country, &c. &c.——Has upon it Orchards, of the beſt engrafted Fruit Trees; and Three handſome Farm Houſes, in good Repair.——In the elegant and extenſive Gardens, belonging to the ſame, are ſeveral Fiſh Ponds—Bathing Streams, Summer-Houſes, &c. &c.—Together with a Quantity of Connecticut Free Stone—The Ruins of a large Manſion-Houſe, conſumed by Fire.—For Terms of Purchaſe, &c. apply to FRANCIS BRINLEY, and WILLIAM HUNTER, Eſqrs. at Newport, Rhode Iſland—Dr. LLOYD, or Mr. NATHANIEL BRINLEY, at Boſton—Mr. SAMUEL BRECK, jun. Philadelphia—or to RICHARD HARRISON, Eſq; at New-York.

☞ If this valuable Eſtate is not ſold entire, in a ſhort time, it will be ſold in ſuch Parcels or Diviſions as to ſuit any Number of Purchaſers, that may apply to

FRA. BRINLEY, *Adminiſtrator.*

July 5, 1796.

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July 5, 1796.

THEATRE,

NEWPORT.

On THURSDAY, July 7,

Will be preſented a Pantomimical Ballet (*never performed here*) call'd

THE COOPER,

OR,

The AMOROUS GUARDIAN.

MARTIN (*the Cooper*) *Guardian, in love with Fanchette,*	Mr. VAL,
COLIN (*Lover of Fanchette, and apprentice to Martin*)	Mr. FRANCISQUY,
Father CLE (*a Drunkard*)	Mr. DUBOIS,
BAILIFF,	Mr. ROBERT,
MILLER (*Creditor to Martin*)	Mr. DURANG,
And, FANCHETTE	Mrs. VAL.

To which will be added,

A triple Alemande,

By Mr. FRANCISQUY, Mrs. VAL, and Mrs. GARDIE;

A HORNPIPE,

By Mr. DURANG.

A grand, hiſtorical and tragi-heroic Pantomime, in Three Parts, call'd

MIRZA and MINDOR.

Intermixed with Dances, Fights, and military Evolutions.

] *Characters of which, in the Bills of the Day* [

☞ Tickets, and Places in the Boxes, to be had at the Box Office, under the Theatre, on Wedneſday and Thurſday next, from 10 o'Clock till 2, and from 3 to 5 P. M.

The Doors will be opened at Half paſt Six, and the Curtain drawn up exactly at Half after Seven o'Clock.

Boxes 6s. Pit 4s. and Gallery 2s. 6d.

For CHARLESTON (*South Carolina*)

The SLOOP

NEW-YORK PACKET,

WILLIAM SHAW, Maſter,

Will ſail the 12th Inſtant.—For Freight or Paſſage apply to the Maſter on board, at Mrs. MALBONE's Wharf.

Newport, July 5, 1796.

Painter's Colours.

James Taylor & Co.

At the old eſtabliſhed MEDICINE STORE, oppoſite Mr. WILLIAM LANGLEY's, in Thames-ſtreet,

To their large and general Aſſortment of Genuine Drugs and Medicines,

Which they ſell on liberal Terms and Credit, Wholeſale and Retail, have juſt added an Aſſortment of

PAINTER's COLOURS,

Conſiſting of

White Lead,	Roſe, or Dutch Pink,
Spaniſh Brown,	Beſt Drop Lake,
Spaniſh White,	Reeves's Patent Colours in
Verdigreaſe,	Boxes,
Vermilion,	Camel's Hair Pencils aſ-
Pruſſian Blue, fine,	ſorted,
No 1.	Alſo, a few Boxes of vege-
Naples Yellow,	table French *Rouge.*

An Aſſortment, as uſual, of beſt SPICES, viz.

Caſſia,	Mace, &c.
True Cinnamon,	Freſh Flaſk Florence Oil, put
Cloves,	Caſe, or ſmaller Quantity.
Nutmegs,	

Newport, July 5, 1796.

FOR SALE,

A Second-hand COACH, ſuitable for a Stage, will accommodate Six Perſons; is in Repair, and fit for immediate Uſe.—For Terms inquire of the Printer.

WE the Subſcribers being, by the Worſhipful Town Council of Newport, appointed Commiſſioners to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Eſtate of MARY FORRESTER, late of ſaid Newport, Widow, deceaſed, repreſented Inſolvent, hereby call on all Perſons, having any Demands on ſaid Eſtate, to bring in their Claims to either of us at our reſpective Dwellings, within Six Months from this Date, it being the Time allowed by Council for that Purpoſe,

NOAH WHITE,
EDWARD STANHOPE, } *Commiſſioners.*

All Perſons indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are hereby required to make immediate Payment, to

BENANIWELL SHAW, *Adminiſtrator.*

Newport, June 6, 1796.

TO BE SOLD,

The Houſe and Lot of Land,

which belonged to the late TIMOTHY WATERHOUSE.——It is pleaſantly ſituated near the Centre of the Town; and is bounded Two Sides on a Street, and fronts a pleaſant Square.—For Particulars, apply to the Printer.

*** *Some Obſervations from the Standing Committee of the Yearly Meeting of the People called Quakers, in Perquimans County, North-Carolina on the Preſentment of the Grand Jury of ſaid County, publiſhed in our laſt came too late to be inſerted this Week, but will have a Place in the next.*

For the Newport Mercury.

VOICE AND ECHO,

DIALOGUE II.

NOW, when faction hides its head,
Now, that the curfed Hydra's dead,
Again, *Echo*, make true reply——
ECHO —— *Without a Lie.*

Courtiers and critics we alike defy,
They cannot thy refponfe deny;
The works of hell and night——
ECHO —— *Bring to Light.*

You noted well, I do not doubt,
The daring, noble, warlike, bout,
'Twixt Baldwin and Gin.
ECHO —— *Rare Fun.*

When modern heroes want to fight,
One fends in form, his friend o'er night;
The other tells his wife, or mother ——
ECHO —— *Juft fuch another.*

Since laft we met, you've heard with pain,
The pigmy Gen'ral, got beat again;
Thefe flagellations ——
ECHO —— *Are juft Caftigations.*

New Lands, like the leaves and lillies,
And fuch like marvellous d'thes,
Are worth fome ftruggling ——
ECHO —— *More ftruggling.*

When "pregnant" Adams in old age,
With ftutt'ring voice addreft'd the ftage,
And told the Treaty's bad effect ——
ECHO —— *Great Defect.*

The aged chief, his fpeech ending,
His "amor patriæ" fpending,
It was to fome denoted ——
ECHO —— *He doated.*

Not fo with great Coloffus Chafe,
Who with ftrict law, keeps up full pace,
Infifting it can't be fuller ——
ECHO —— *Judge Buller.*

LONDON, April 1.

A Linen-draper, the Mayor of a Weft Country-town, and a fmart young Bachelor, did not (contrary to the cuftom of the predeceffors) give a Ball, during his Mayoralty; of courfe, he was much jeered by the Miffes of the town, and as a punifhment for his want of gallantry, they propofed toffing him in a blanket.——On which occafion, a young lady, remarkable for brilliancy of wit, and fmartnefs of repartee, made the following Bon Mot!

Toft the Mayor in a blanket, a pretty fmooth-fac'd young Man!!
What mifchievous folks could devife fuch a plan?
No! not I, fays Miss Patty, a fly knowing elf,
Give me Dowlas fheets, and I'll toft him myfelf.

FOR SALE, BY

William & Thomas Handy,

At their MANUFACTORY, in Pelham-Street,
Between Mr. Townfend's Coffee Houfe, and the General Treafurer's Office.

Tallow-Candles and Soap,

Wholefale and Retail,
Warranted equal in Quality to any manufactured within the United States.

Cafh, and the higheft Price, conftantly given for ASHES.

CHRISTOPHER FOWLER

HAS FOR SALE,

Ten Bags of excellent Georgia COTTON,

Forty Barrels of fuperfine, fine, and Rye FLOUR,
Twenty Barrels MIDDLINGS.

June 13, '96.

TO BE SOLD,

AN excellent Pair of Engliſh WORSTED COMBS—Inquire of the Printer.

Stephen Pierce

HAS FOR SALE,

BUNTING and ready made COLOURS. Alſo, an Aſſortment of neat GUN-LOCKS and BRASS FURNITURE. POWDER and SHOT, and an Aſſortment of CROCKERY WARE.

☞ Likewiſe—A Quantity of excellent SPANISH SEGARS.

COGGESHALL & BURDICK,

At their Shop, next Northward of Mr. James Taylor, and Co. Apothecary's Shop, in Thames-ſtreet,

HAVE for Sale, a complete Aſſortment of Men's BOOTS and SHOES, of various Kinds.

Alſo, all Kinds of Women's Stuff Shoes, and Morocco Slips and Sandals.

Likewiſe, a great Variety of ſmall Shoes and Sandals.

All Kinds of Shoes, made at the aboveſaid Shop, on the ſhorteſt Notice.

They preſent their Thanks to their former Cuſtomers, and hope for a Continuance of their Favours.

Newport, April 11, 1796.

To be Sold, by

BENJAMIN HILL,

On Capt. CALEB GARDNER'S *Wharf,*

ABOUT 3000 Wt. of excellent SHIP-BREAD, cheap for Caſh.

SIMON DAVIS

Has for Sale, at his Store, on Mr. Robert Stevens's Wharf,

A NEW Supply of French Brandy, by the Pipe, Barrel, or Half Barrel,
Pepper, by the Bag,
Port and Liſbon Wine by the Pipe or Quarter-Caſk. Sherry Ditto,
A Quantity of Crates of Liverpool Ware, by Wholeſale and Retail—blue, cream colour'd, &c.
Tumblers, Wine-Glaſſes, and Decanters, by Wholeſale and Retail,
Caſk of Sweet Oil, by the Caſe,
Hyſon Tea, by the Dozen, Half Dozen, or ſingle Pound,
Chocolate, by the Box—N° 1 and 2, warranted,
A few Barrels of Punch,
Caſtile Soap, by the Box.

He has alſo for Sale, at his Shop, oppoſite Mr. Philip Robinſon's,

ALL Sorts of Wine,
Brandy, Beſt London Porter,
Rum,
Hyſon Tea,
Chocolate, warranted,
A great Variety of Crockery Ware,
A few Barrels of Baltimore fine Flour.

THE Partnerſhip of CLARKE and HAMMOND diſſolved the Firſt Inſtant.——All Perſons having Demands againſt, or that are indebted to, ſaid Partnerſhip, are deſired to call and ſettle the ſame as ſoon as poſſible with the Subſcriber, who continues Buſineſs in the ſame Store, as when in Company with Mr. Hammond, and will be happy, at any Time, to ſerve his former Cuſtomers.

ETHAN CLARKE.

HE NOW HAS FOR SALE,

Jamaica Spirits, Rum, and Sugar, per Hogſhead or Barrel; Bohea Tea, per Cheſt; Nutmegs and Pepper, per lb. Brandy, per Pipe; Malaga Wine; Porter, per Caſk; Fine and Superfine Flour; Writing and Wrapping Paper; Loaf Sugar; Pork and Beef; Brass Kettles; Window Glaſs; Bar Lead; Anchors, of all Sizes; Cabouſes; Open, Cloſe, and Kitchen Stoves; Grindſtones; Pitch and Tar.

Newport, May 23 1796.

A Large ASSORTMENT of

SPRING GOODS,

Juſt opened, and now ſelling, at
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, BY

Green & Tillinghaſt,

Who take this Opportunity to thank their former Cuſtomers for paſt Favours, and to inform them, that they have taken particular Care to purchaſe their GOODS, on ſuch Terms, as to afford them as low as ever—Which their Friends may be convinced of, by calling at their Store.

Newport, May 23 1796

FOR SALE, BY

George Champlin,

CLEAN Ruſſia HEMP,
Ruſſia DUCK,
Ravens' Ditto,
Ruſſia SHEETING,
Old and New Sable IRON.
6 by 8 and 7 by 9 WINDOW-GLASS, per Box.

Juſt Received, and for Sale, by

HENRY G. CHAMPLIN,

At his Store, in Thames-ſtreet juſt below the RED MARKET,

A FRESH and general Aſſortment of SPRING and SUMMER GOODS
SPERMACETI CANDLES, of the firſt Quality, by the Box, or ſmaller Quantity.

He has alſo for Sale,
Good Turk's Iſland SALT, by the Buſhel.

Newport, May 23, 1796

THE Hon. Town Council of South-Kingſtown, having appointed us the Subſcribers, Commiſſioners to receive, examine, and adjuſt, the Claims of the Creditors to the Eſtate of PELEG PECKHAM, late of ſaid Town, Merchant, deceaſed, repreſented inſolvent; and Six Months from the 22th Day of April, 1796, being allowed by the Creditors to exhibit their Claims, otherwiſe they will be foreclоſed.—Notice is hereby given, that we will receive ſaid Claims, at our reſpective Dwellings, at any Time within the aboveſaid Term.

FREEMAN PERRY,
JOHN CONGDON.

All Perſons indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, to

WILLIAM PECKHAM, *Executor.*

JAMES M. HOSIER

HAVING been frequently adviſed, by divers Perſons, to carry on the BREWING Buſineſs, for the Supply of Family Beer,——Takes this Method to inform the Public in general, that having provided himſelf with the neceſſary Stock, is now ready to furniſh ſuch as may want

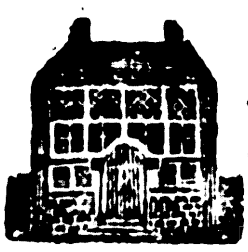
Good Table Beer,

At Twelve Shillings per Barrel, and common Ship Beer at Nine Shillings per Barrel, or by the Half Barrel at the ſame Rate.

He will find the Caſk, and deliver the Beer at the reſpective Houſes, or Veſſels. Thoſe that wiſh to be ſupplied, are deſired to ſend or leave Orders at his Father's, GILES HOSIER.

Newport, May 23 1796.

TO BE SOLD,



A Large commodious HOUSE, in one of the pleaſanteſt Situations in Newport.——It has lately been repaired, painted and papered, and is fit for a genteel Family. A large Garden, Store, Stabling, and many deſirable Privileges and Conveniences appertain thereto.

Alſo, one Half of a large HOUSE to be Let, for the Summer Seaſon—furniſhed or unfurniſhed.—Apply to the Printer.

Newport, May 30, 1796

TO BE SOLD, BY

Sheffield Attwood,

At his Store on Mr. NEWMAN'S *Wharf, and at his Shop at the Point near the Ferry Wharf.*

Jamaica Spirits, by the Hogſhead or Barrel,

Weſt-India and New-England RUM by the Hogſhead or Barrel,
GIN, by the Pipe, Barrel, or Caſe,
MOLASSES, by the Hogſhead or Barrel,
BOHEA TEA, of an excellent Quality, juſt imported from India, in the Ship John Jay, by the Cheſt, Half Ditto, Quarter Ditto, or Dozen Pounds,
Brown SUGAR, by the Hogſhead or Barrel,
FLOUR, SHIP and CABIN-BREAD, by the Barrel, or larger Quantity.

HE has alſo to ſell, on COMMISSION,
PITCH and TAR, by the Barrel,

A BRIG, now on the Stocks, of about 100 Tons Burthen, and may be launched at the ſhorteſt Notice.

An excellent Lot of Land on the Main Street, known by the Name of Emery's Corner, with a good Well of Water thereon, will be ſold Cheap for the Caſh.

Alſo a SLOOP, now on a Voyage to New York, about 40 Tons Burthen. She is new and completely fitted for a Packet. Alſo ſundry DWELLING HOUSES, ſituated in different Parts of the Town.

N. B. He gives the higheſt Price for old GOLD and SILVER.

Newport, May 30, 1796.

TO BE LET,

The Manſion-Houſe belonging

to Mr. WILLIAM REDWOOD ſituate on Eaſton's Point alſo the Wharf, ſtores, &c. Poſſeſſion to be given immediately. For Terms apply to

V. WIGHTMAN.

Newport, May 23, 1796.

ALL Perſons who have Claims againſt the Eſtate of SAMUEL WHITEHORNE, late of Newport, Diſtiller, deceaſed, are hereby notified to preſent the ſame; and all thoſe who are indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, to

RUTH WHITEHORNE, *Adminiſtratrix.*

Newport, May 5, 1796.

We the Subſcribers being by the

Town Council of New-Shoreham, in the County of Newport, and State of Rhode-Iſland, appointed Commiſſioners to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Eſtate of JOHN LITTLEFIELD, Eſq; late of New-Shoreham, deceaſed, repreſented inſolvent, and Three Months longer being allowed for that Purpoſe; We hereby give Notice, that we ſhall attend at our reſpective Houſes for that Purpoſe; and all Claims, not ſupported by proper Vouchers, will not be allowed.

RAY SANDS,
EDWARD SANDS, } *Commiſſioners*

New Shoreham, May 27, 1796.

All Perſons indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are hereby called upon to make immediate Payment, to

W. LITTLEFIELD,
JOHN SANDS, } *Adminiſtrators*

THE Town-Council of the Town of Newport, having appointed the Subſcribers Commiſſioners, to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Eſtate of JOHN MALBONE, Eſq; late of ſaid Newport, deceaſed, repreſented Inſolvent, and three Months longer, from this Date, being allowed for that Purpoſe, we hereby give Notice to all Perſons having Demands againſt ſaid Eſtate, to exhibit them to one of us, within the aboveſaid Time.

THOMAS RUMREILL,
DANIEL MASON.

All Perſons indebted to the Eſtate aforeſaid, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, to

FRANCIS ERINLEY, *Adminiſtrator.*

Newport, May 2, 1796.

For the NEWPORT MERCURY.

VOICE AND ECHO.

DIALOGUE II.

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ECHO —— *Without a Lie.*
Courtiers and critics we alike defy,
They cannot thy reſponſe deny;
The works of hell and night——
ECHO —— *Bring to Light.*
You noted well, I do not doubt,
The daring, noble, warlike, bout,
'Twixt Baldwin and Gun.
ECHO —— *Rare Fun.*
When modern heroes want to fight,
One ſends in form, his friend o'er night;
The other tells his wife, or mother——
ECHO —— *Juſt ſuch another.*
Since laſt we met, you've heard with pain,
The pigmy Gen'ral, got beat again;
Theſe flagellations——
ECHO —— *Are juſt Caſtigations.*
New Lands, like the loaves and fiſhes,
And ſuch like marvellous diſhes,
Are worth ſome ſtruggling——
ECHO —— *Mere ſmuggling.*
When "pregnant" Adams in old age,
With fault'ring voice addreſs'd the ſage,
And told the Treaty's ſad effect——
ECHO —— *Great Deſect.*
The aged chief, his ſpeech ending,
His "amor patria" 'pending,
It was to ſome denoted——
ECHO —— *He doated.*
Not ſo with great Coloſſus Chaſe,
Who with ſtrict law, keeps up full pace,
Inſiſting it can't be fuller——
ECHO —— *Judge Buller.*

LONDON, April 2.

A Linen-draper, the Mayor of a Weſt Country-town, and a ſmart young Bachelor, did not (contrary to the cuſtom of the predeceſſors) give a Ball, during his Mayoralty; of courſe, he was much jeered by the Miſſes of the town, and as a puniſhment for his want of gallantry, they propoſed toſſing him in a blanket.——On which occaſion, a young lady, remarkable for brilliancy of wit, and ſmartneſs of repartee, made the following Bon Mot!

Toſs the May'r in a blanket, a pretty ſmooth-fac'd young Man!!
What miſchievous folks, could deviſe ſuch a plan?
No! No! ſays Miſs Patty, a ſly knowing elf,
Give me Dowlas ſheets, and I'll toſs him myſelf.

FOR SALE, BY
William & Thomas Handy,
At their MANUFACTORY, in Pelham-Street,
Between Mr. Townſend's Coffee-Houſe, and the General Treaſurer's Office,
Tallow-Candles and Soap,
Wholeſale and Retail,
Warranted equal in Quality to any manufactured within the United States.
Caſh, and the higheſt Price, conſtantly given for ASHES.

CHRISTOPHER FOWLER
HAS FOR SALE,
Ten Bags of excellent Georgia COTTON,
Forty Barrels of ſuperfine, fine, and Rye FLOUR,
Twenty Barrels MIDDLINGS.
June 13, '96.

TO BE SOLD,
AN excellent Pair of Engliſh WORSTED COMBS—Inquire of the Printer.

Stephen Pierce
HAS FOR SALE,
BUNTING and ready made COLOURS. Alſo, an Aſſortment of neat GUNLOCKS and BRASS FURNITURE. POWDER and SHOT, and an Aſſortment of CROCKERY WARE.
☞ Likewiſe—A Quantity of excellent SPANISH SEGARS.

COGGESHALL & BURDICK,
At their Shop, next Northward of Mr. James Tayler, and Co. Apothecary's Shop, in Thames-ſtreet,
HAVE for Sale, a complete Aſſortment of Men's BOOTS and SHOES, of various Kinds.
Alſo, all Kinds of Women's Stuff Shoes, and Morocco Slips and Sandals.
Likewiſe, a great Variety of ſmall Shoes and Sandals.
All Kinds of Shoes, made at the aboveſaid Shop, on the ſhorteſt Notice.
They preſent their Thanks to their former Cuſtomers, and hope for a Continuance of their Favours.
Newport, April 11, 1796.

To be Sold, by
BENJAMIN HILL,
On Capt. CALEB GARDNER's *Wharf,*
ABOUT 3000 Wt. of excellent SHIP-BREAD, cheap for Caſh.

SIMON DAVIS
Has for Sale, at his Store, on Mr. Robert Stevens's Wharf,
A NEW Supply of French Brandy, by the Pipe, Barrel, or Half Barrel,
Pepper, by the Bag,
Port and Liſbon Wine by the Pipe or Quarter-Caſk. Sherry Ditto,
A Quantity of Crates of Liverpool Ware, by Wholeſale and Retail—blue, cream colour'd, &c.
Tumblers, Wine-Glaſſes, and Decanters, by Wholeſale and Retail,
Beſt of Sweet Oil, by the Caſe,
Hyſon Tea, by the Dozen, Half Dozen, or ſingle Pound,
Chocolate, by the Box—N° 1 and 2, warranted,
A few Barrels of Pitch,
Caſtile Soap, by the Box.

He has alſo for Sale, at his Shop, oppoſite Mr. Philip Robinſon's,
ALL Sorts of Wine,
Brandy, Beſt London Porter,
Rum,
Hyſon Tea,
Chocolate, warranted,
A great Variety of Crockery Ware,
A few Barrels of Baltimore fine Flour.

THE Partnerſhip of CLARKE and HAMMOND diſſolved the Firſt Inſtant.——All Perſons having Demands againſt, or that are indebted to, ſaid Partnerſhip, are deſired to call and ſettle the ſame as ſoon as poſſible with the Subſcriber, who continues Buſineſs in the ſame Store, as when in Company with Mr. Hammond, and will be happy, at any Time, to ſerve his former Cuſtomers.

ETHAN CLARKE.

HE NOW HAS FOR SALE,
Jamaica Spirits, Rum, and Sugar, per Hogſhead or Barrel; Bohea Tea, per Cheſt; Nutmegs and Pepper, per lb. Brandy, per Pipe; Malaga Wine; Porter, per Caſk; Fine and Superfine Flour; Writing and Wrapping Paper; Loaf Sugar; Pork and Beef; Braſs Kettles; Window Glaſs; Bar Lead; Anchors, of all Sizes; Cabouſes; Open, Cloſe, and Kitchen Stoves; Grindſtones; Pitch and Tar.
Newport, May 23, 1796.

A Large ASSORTMENT of
SPRING GOODS,
Juſt opened, and now ſelling, at
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL, BY
Green & Tillinghaſt,
Who take this Opportunity to thank their former Cuſtomers for paſt Favours, and to inform them, that they have taken particular Care to purchaſe their GOODS, on ſuch Terms, as to afford them as low as ever—— Which their Friends may be convinced of, by calling at their Store.
Newport, May 23, 1796.

FOR SALE, BY
George Champlin,
CLEAN Ruſſia HEMP,
Ruſſia DUCK,
Ravens' Ditto,
Ruſſia SHEETING,
Old and New Sable IRON.
6 by 8 and 7 by 9 WINDOW-GLASS, per Box.

Juſt Received, and for Sale, by
HENRY G. CHAMPLIN,
At his Store, in Thames-ſtreet, juſt below the RED MARKET,
A FRESH and general Aſſortment of SPRING and SUMMER GOODS.
SPERMACETI CANDLES, of the firſt Quality, by the Box, or ſmaller Quantity.
He has alſo for Sale,
Good Turk's Iſland SALT, by the Buſhel.
Newport, May 24, 1796.

THE Hon. Town Council of South-Kingſtown, having appointed us the Subſcribers, Commiſſioners to receive, examine, and adjuſt, the Claims of the Creditors to the Eſtate of PELEG PECKHAM, late of ſaid Town, Merchant, deceaſed, repreſented inſolvent; and Six Months from the 11th Day of April, 1796, being allowed by the Creditors to exhibit their Claims, otherwiſe they will be foreclоſed.—Notice is hereby given, that we will receive ſaid Claims, at our reſpective Dwellings, at any Time within the aboveſaid Term.

FREEMAN PERRY,
JOHN CONGDON.

All Perſons indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, to
WILLIAM PECKHAM, *Executor.*

JAMES M. HOSIER
HAVING been frequently adviſed, by divers Perſons, to carry on the BREWING Buſineſs, for the Supply of Family Beer,——Takes this Method to inform the Public in general, that having provided himſelf with the neceſſary Stock, is now ready to furniſh ſuch as may want.

Good Table Beer,

At Twelve Shillings per Barrel, and common Ship Beer at Nine Shillings per Barrel, or by the Half Barrel at the ſame Rate.
He will find the Caſk, and deliver the Beer at the reſpective Houſes, or Veſſels. Thoſe that wiſh to be ſupplied, are deſired to ſend or leave Orders at his Father's, GILES HOSIER.
Newport, May 23 1796.

TO BE SOLD,

A Large commodious HOUSE, in one of the pleaſanteſt Situations in Newport.——It has lately been repaired, painted and papered, and is fit for a genteel Family. A large Garden, Store, Stabling, and many deſirable Privileges and Conveniences appertain thereto.
Alſo, one Half of a large HOUSE to be Let, for the Summer Seaſon—furniſhed or unfurniſhed.—Apply to the Printer.
Newport, May 30, 1796.

TO BE SOLD, BY
Sheffield Attwood,
At his Store on Mr. NEWMAN's *Wharf, and at his Shop at the Point near the Ferry Wharf,*
Jamaica Spirits, by the Hogſhead or Barrel,
Weſt-India and New-England RUM by the Hogſhead or Barrel,
GIN, by the Pipe, Barrel, or Caſe,
MOLASSES, by the Hogſhead or Barrel,
BOHEA TEA, of an excellent Quality, juſt imported from India, in the Ship John Jay, by the Cheſt, Half Ditto, Quarter Ditto, or Dozen Pounds,
Brown SUGAR, by the Hogſhead or Barrel,
FLOUR, SHIP and CABIN-BREAD, by the Barrel, or larger Quantity.

HE has alſo to ſell, on COMMISSION,
PITCH and TAR, by the Barrel,
A BRIG, now on the Stocks, of about 100 Tons Burthen, and may be launched at the ſhorteſt Notice.
An excellent Lot of Land on the Main-Street, known by the Name of Emery's Corner, with a good Well of Water thereon, will be ſold Cheap for the Caſh.
Alſo a SLOOP, now on a Voyage to New York, about 40 Tons Burthen. She is new and completely fitted for a Packet. Alſo ſundry DWELLING HOUSES, ſituated in different Parts of the Town.
N. B. He gives the higheſt Price for old GOLD and SILVER.
Newport, May 30, 1796.

TO BE LET,
The Manſion-Houſe belonging to Mr. WILLIAM REDWOOD, ſituate on Eaſton's Point; alſo the Wharf, Stores, &c. Poſſeſſion to be given immediately. For Terms apply to
V. WIGHTMAN.
Newport, May 23, 1796.

ALL Perſons who have Claims againſt the Eſtate of SAMUEL WHITEHORNE, late of Newport, Diſtiller, deceaſed, are hereby notified to preſent the ſame; and all thoſe who are indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, to
RUTH WHITEHORNE, *Adminiſtratrix.*
Newport, May 5, 1796.

We the Subſcribers being by the Town Council of New-Shoreham, in the County of Newport, and State of Rhode-Iſland, appointed Commiſſioners to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Eſtate of JOHN LITTLEFIELD, Eſq; late of New-Shoreham, deceaſed, repreſented inſolvent, and Three Months longer being allowed for that Purpoſe; We hereby give Notice, that we ſhall attend at our reſpective Houſes for that Purpoſe; and all Claims, not ſupported by proper Vouchers, will not be allowed.

RAY SANDS, } *Commiſ-*
EDWARD SANDS, } *ſioners.*

New-Shoreham, May 27, 1796.

All Perſons indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are hereby called upon to make immediate Payment, to

W. LITTLEFIELD, } *Admin-*
JOHN SANDS, } *iſtrators.*

THE Town-Council of the Town of Newport, having appointed the Subſcribers Commiſſioners, to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Eſtate of JOHN MALBONE, Eſquire, late of ſaid Newport, deceaſed, repreſented Inſolvent; and three Months longer, from this Date, being allowed for that Purpoſe, we hereby give Notice to all Perſons having Demands againſt ſaid Eſtate, to exhibit them to either of us, within the aboveſaid Time.

THOMAS RUMREILL,
DANIEL MASON.

All Perſons indebted to the Eſtate aforeſaid, are requeſted to make immediate Payment, to
FRANCIS ERINLEY, *Adminiſtrator.*
Newport, May 2, 1796.